

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE
LICENSE OF

CHRISTINA LOVE, L.P.N.
License # 26NP04891700

TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

**FINAL ORDER
OF DISCIPLINE**

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("the Board") upon receipt of information which the Board has reviewed and on which the following findings of fact and conclusions of law are made:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Christina Love ("Respondent") is a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) in the State of New Jersey, and has been a licensee at all times relevant hereto. Respondent also holds a license to practice nursing in the State of Virginia.

2. On or about December 5, 2014, Respondent's Virginia nursing license was indefinitely suspended by the Virginia Board of Nursing based upon a finding that she is unsafe to practice nursing due to mental illness.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The suspension of Respondent's nursing license by the Virginia Board of Nursing subjects Respondent to sanctions pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(g).

DISCUSSION

Based on the foregoing findings and conclusions, a Provisional Order of Discipline seeking the suspension of Respondent's New Jersey nursing license was entered on January 30, 2015. Copies were served upon Respondent via regular and certified mail. The Provisional Order was subject to finalization by the Board at 5:00 p.m. on the thirtieth day following entry unless Respondent requested a modification or dismissal of the stated findings of fact and conclusions of law by setting forth in writing any and all reasons why said findings and conclusions should be modified or dismissed and submitting any and all documents or other written evidence supporting Respondent's request for consideration and reasons therefor.

Respondent belatedly replied to the Provisional Order of Discipline. Respondent maintained that she was unaware that the Virginia Board of Nursing had suspended her Virginia nursing license. Respondent wrote that she had a history of grievances and disputes with her family and surmised that family members in Virginia had reported her to the Virginia Board of Nursing. Respondent intends to apply for reinstatement of her license in Virginia.

The Board reviewed Respondent's submissions and determined that further proceedings were not necessary and that no material discrepancies had been raised. The Board was not persuaded that the submitted materials merited further consideration, as Respondent did not dispute the findings of fact or conclusions of law. Respondent's license to practice nursing in Virginia was suspended based upon a finding that she is unsafe to practice.

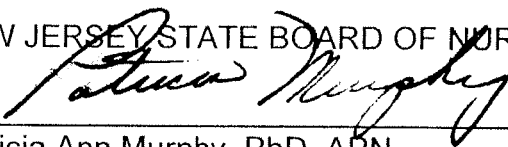
ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 7th day of July, 2015,

ORDERED that:

1. Respondent's license to practice nursing in New Jersey is hereby suspended until she can demonstrate, to the Board's satisfaction, that she is fit and competent to practice nursing and until her license to practice nursing in Virginia is reinstated.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:



Patricia Ann Murphy, PhD, APN
Board President